

REMARKS

Presently, claims 1, 63-65, and 73-90 are pending, with claims 1, 63, and 89 being in independent form.

Applicants thank the Examiner for her indication that claims 63-65, 89 and 90 are allowed.

Claims 1 and 73-88 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1, 5-8, 13, 14, 16, 19, 21-29, and 42-45 of U.S. Patent No. 6,625,364 B2. This response is being filed together with a terminal disclaimer. Applicants ask, therefore, that the obviousness-type double patenting rejection of claims 1 and 73-88 be withdrawn.


Applicants submit that all claims are in condition for allowance, which action is requested.

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